CLIENT ELIGIBILITY

Clients eligible for payment of rehabilitative services under the Adult Head Injury (AHI) Program shall meet the following criteria:

- Have written verification or history of a "head injury" or "traumatic head injury" as
 defined under RSMo Section 192.735 as "a sudden insult or damage to the brain or its
 coverings, not of a degenerative nature. Such insult or damage may produce an altered
 state of consciousness and may result in a decrease of one (1) or more of the following:
 mental, cognitive, behavioral, or physical functioning resulting in partial or total
 disability. Cerebral vascular accidents, aneurysms, and congenital deficits shall be
 specifically excluded from this definition";
- Be residents of the State of Missouri;
- Are between age 21 and 65 years of age;
- Apply for Medicaid or other state agency services, if eligible;
- Have a signed Special Health Care Needs (SHCN) Enrollment Information Form (CC-1) on file;
- Have documentation that current taxable income does not exceed 185% of the federal poverty guidelines. This documentation shall be provided to SHCN initially at the time of enrollment, and thereafter must be provided annually to maintain eligibility for rehabilitative services; and
- Meet State Department of Elementary and Secondary Education and Federal eligibility for supported employment, if receiving long-term extended supported work services.